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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 686  
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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize the Director and  
members of the Daniel Boone High School  
Reflections on their significant achievements.

WHEREAS, it is the privilege of the members of this General Assembly to pay tribute to those young Tennesseans who, through their dedication, natural talents, and hard work, have distinguished themselves as champions in their respective fields; and

WHEREAS, the remarkable young people who comprise the members of the Daniel Boone High School Reflections have won numerous choral competitions, and have represented their school and community with distinction and dignity; and

WHEREAS, selected by rigorous audition from among the student body of Daniel Boone High School, the twenty-three member Daniel Boone High School Reflections have performed for audiences throughout the United States; in the 2001-2002 year alone, the ensemble has performed for many high-ranking Tennessee and U.S. government officials; and

WHEREAS, many of the talented members of the Daniel Boone High School Reflections are also repeating All-Region Chorus and All-State Chorus members; and

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WHEREAS, the accomplished members of this prestigious choral ensemble, Olivia Branham, Ashley Clouse, Brandon Cox, Lauren Ervin, Joey Frazier, Lea Harris, Jennifer Hawkins, Justin Hicks, Ashley Hodge, Brittany Johnson, Brandon Kinnett, Cassandra Lane, Heather Libby, Elliott Lowe, Tarah Martin, Preston McCarty, Edward Mermilliod, Caleb Quillen, Sarah Rector, Jared Shipley, Luke Stewart, Glen Tamplen, and Byron Tolley, have sacrificed their time and expended tremendous effort in the creation and presentation of their diverse repertoire, which ranges from classical motets to vocal jazz; and

WHEREAS, the Daniel Boone High School Reflections perform under the capable guidance of their Director, Andrew Coffman, who is a distinguished 1996 graduate of East Tennessee State University; and

WHEREAS, a treasured part of this State's rich musical tradition, the ensemble's sensational performances are in great demand throughout the Tri-Cities area; and

WHEREAS, the Daniel Boone High School Reflections' noteworthy achievements are a tremendous source of pride for their families, their school, their community, and this great State; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to pause in its deliberations to specially recognize the Director and members of the Daniel Boone High School Reflections for their excellence in competition and for the great joy they have brought to their audiences nationwide; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby honor and recognize the Director and members of the Daniel Boone High School Reflections, congratulate them on their significant achievements in choral competition, applaud their extraordinary work ethic and considerable talent, and extend to them our best wishes for every continued success and happiness in all their future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.